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PROBATION DEPARTMENT

ADVISEMENT TO PEACE OFFICER SEEKING LATERAL PLACEMENT

Government Code Section 1031, Subdivision (d) provides that each class of public officer or employee declared by law to be peace officers shall "Be of good moral character, as determined by a thorough background investigation." This legal prohibition applies equally to persons seeking employment as peace officers, as well as to persons already employed as peace officers seeking appointment in another jurisdiction.

RESPONSES TO INQUIRIES ARE PROTECTED, EVEN IF UNSOLICITED, BY THE ABSOLUTE PRIVILEGE OF CIVIL CODE §47 AND GOVERNMENT CODE §1031.1(b).

As an applicant with the Orange County Probation Department for a peace officer position pursuant to §830.5 of the California Penal Code, I am required to furnish information for use in determining my qualifications, suitability and character.

I hereby acknowledge that I have been advised that the records or information contained therein may be considered confidential under California Penal Code §832.7, and therefore subject to discovery or disclosure only pursuant to a noticed motion under California Evidence Code §1043. By signing this authorization I hereby waive any and all rights to have any record or records or information contained therein discovered or disclosed only by a noticed motion pursuant to California Evidence Code §1043, and hereby authorize the disclosure of all records to which, as an employee, the undersigned would have or did have access.

It is further understood, acknowledged, and agreed to, that any information secured pursuant to this statutorily required background investigation which would negatively reflect on my fitness for duty as a peace officer will be forwarded to my current peace officer employer.

A PHOTOCOPY OF THIS RELEASE FORM WILL BE AS VALID AS AN ORIGINAL THEREOF, EVEN THOUGH THE SAID PHOTOCOPY DOES NOT CONTAIN AN ORIGINAL WRITING OF MY SIGNATURE.

THIS RELEASE WILL EXPIRE **365** DAYS AFTER THE DATE SIGNED.

I certify that I have read this advisement and understand its implications.

SIGNATURE: _____
(Signature to be witnessed)

DATE: _____

PRINT NAME: _____

State of _____

County of _____

OFFICIAL SEAL

On this the _____ day of _____, 20____, before me
(Name, Title of Officer – E.G., "Jane Doe, Notary Public")

personally appeared _____,
_____ personally known to me or _____, proved to me on the
basis of satisfactory evidence, to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are
subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that
he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and
that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity
upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL

Notary's Signature